

Appl. No. Unknown  
Attorney Docket No. 63-000600US  
Amtd. Dated 5/31/2005  
Preliminary Amendment

**REMARKS**

Claims 1, 5, 10, 17, 18, 21-23, 26, 27, 31, 36, 43-47, and 50-52 are pending with entry of these amendments with claims 5, 10, 31, and 36 being amended herein, and claims 2-4, 6-9, 11-16, 19, 20, 24, 25, 28-30, 32-35, 37-42, 48, 49, 53, and 54 being canceled herein. These amendments to the application introduce no new matter and support is replete throughout the application as originally filed. These amendments are made without prejudice and are not to be construed as abandonment of the previously claimed subject matter or agreement with any objection or rejection of record. Applicants respectfully request that all of these amendments be entered.

**CONCLUSION**

If a telephone conference would be helpful, please contact the undersigned at (510) 769-3520.

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